#### 2023-24 Open Event

Welcome to

## Corby Business Academy

Simon Underwood Principal



#### **Further Information**



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## Thank you





## Choice



## Community & student based decisions









Keys to doors and passports to success



#### Unit Provision, GCSE / Level 2 & A Level / Level 3





2023 Results / Quality of academy





| Old grades | New grades         |           |                          |
|------------|--------------------|-----------|--------------------------|
| A*         | 9                  |           |                          |
| Α          | 7                  |           |                          |
| В          | 6<br><b>5</b> STDO | NG PASS   |                          |
| С          |                    | DARD PASS |                          |
| D          | 3                  |           |                          |
| Е          | 2                  | Grade     | Percentage               |
| F          | 1                  | A*        | 90+ average in A2 units, |
| G          | '                  |           | with 80+ average overall |
| U          | U                  | A         | 80+                      |
| 9          | ŭ                  | В         | 70-79                    |
|            |                    | С         | 60-69                    |
|            |                    | D         | 50-59                    |
|            |                    | E         | 40-49                    |

# Curriculum and GCSE / A Level planning for success







## Personal Development

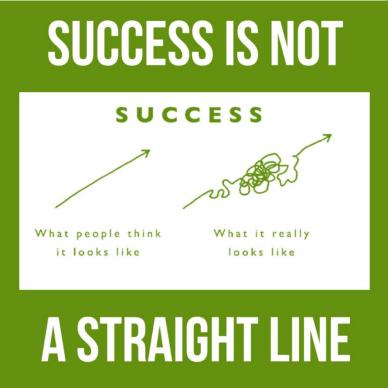
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Corby Business Academy

Culture







Resilience & Success

#### Tom Anderson

Huge congratulations to Tom on his fantastic set of A'Level results. He achieved A\*s in both Maths and Business and an A in Geography. Tom is elated and will be heading to the University of Leeds to study Economics. He feels the course will offer excellent job opportunities and is excited to live in a big city with lots to do. He wanted to thank the teachers at CBA for all their help-particularly the Geography department for the trip to Liverpool. He takes away not only his excellent grades but his 6<sup>th</sup> form highlights of Y13 beating Y12 7-2 at football.





#### Angela Bujac

Huge congratulations to Angela on her fantastic set of A'Level results. She achieved a sweep of As in Maths and Business and Geography and a B in Biology. Angela is very happy and excited to begin studying Accounting and Finance at London School of Economics. She feels the course will offer excellent job opportunities and is looking forward to meeting a wide range of people. Angela wanted to thank the teachers at CBA for all their help-particularly the Ms. Thompson for supporting her throughout the entire exam season and throughout her entire time at CBA. She said "The sense of community was a real highlight for

me. I enjoyed the different events and working with the 6<sup>th</sup> Form team. I really hope everyone in my year is proud of how they did." Thank you for being an exceptional student Angela-you've been a brilliant Head Girl. We wish you every success in London.

#### Nathan Matthews

Nathan was feeling great this morning after securing an excellent set of A'Levels as one of our top performers. Nathan achieved an A\* in Maths, and A in Computer Science and a B in Further Maths and will be studying Cyber Security at Lancaster University next academic year. Computer Science was Nathan's favourite subject and wanted to thank Mr. Corbishley for always pushing him in this subject. We've no doubt you'll continue to excel at University Nathan-huge congratulations!



#### Diana Ciobanu

"I'm so happy! All my hard work paid off!"

We are so happy for you too Diana. Diana secured as in both Computer Science and Art & Design and a B in Maths. Diana will begin studying Games Technology at the University of West England in September. She has career aspirations of working for Nintendo as a Games Developer, an area that has interested her from a young age. Diana also has advice for those beginning their 6th form studies next year "Don't waste Year 12, there is too much to do in Year 13 to catch up on wasted time!" Diana also wanted to thank her friends for pushing her when she felt there was no hope



and her teachers for constantly checking up on her. She said, "Having people who cared around me-really motivate me" We are so pleased for you Diana and can't wait to hear about the amazing things you do next.













#### Alina Meirena, Cassie Forsdike and Lucy Thorpe

We are absolutely delighted for three of our incredible students; Alina Meirena, Cassie Forsdike and Lucy Thorpe for receiving a special letter of recognition from the exam board OCR for being amongst the highest performers in their GCSE Art and Design; Fine Art examination. What an incredible achievement!





#### **Charlie Turner**

Huge congratulations to Charlie on his fantastic results. Charlie has worked really hard and even achieved an additional qualification in statistics achieving a Grade 7! Charlie is looking forward to studying Maths, Further Maths and Physics to support him in his aspirations to become an engineer in the Royal Navy. With your passion and drive for your future plans, we are so proud of you and look forward to you being a part of our Sixth Form at Corby Business Academy.

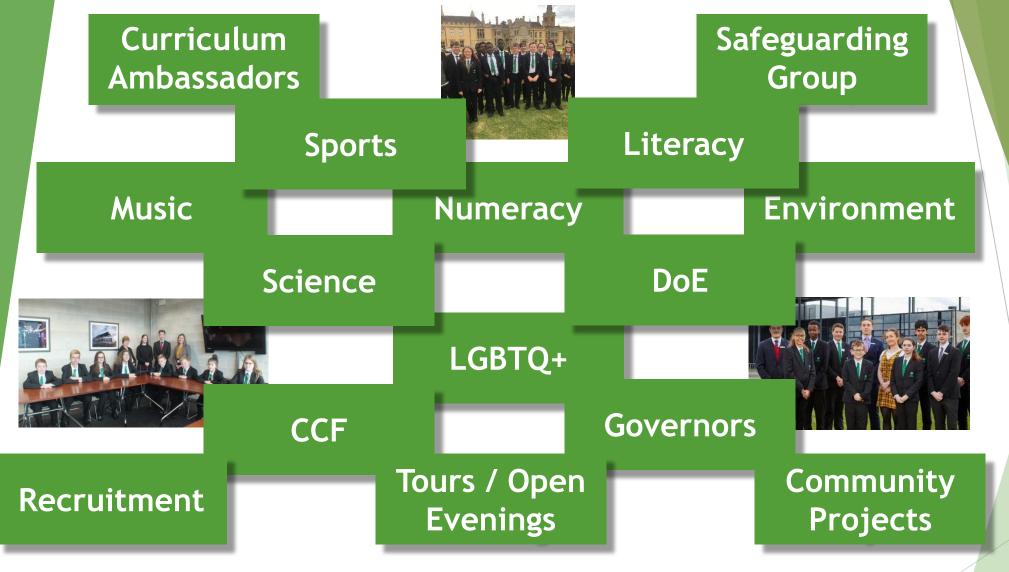


Why?





### **Student Senate**





### Student Leadership, Groups & Forums







- ✓ In the learning journey together
- Mutual respect no 'them' and 'us'
- Based on preparing students for the world of work
- ✓ Shared ownership and responsibility of Corby Business Academy
- ✓ No staffroom/common room
- ✓ No excuses



**Ethos** 

- ✓ Tutors and Personal Development
- ✓ Assemblies
- Every interaction high quality conversations
- Open study areas
- ✓ Library
- Residential and tutor trips
- Session 6



## Supporting our ethos

- Challenging curriculum that is differentiated and scaffolded for aspirational learning
- ✓ KS3 3-year curriculum)
- Students impowered to choose pathways
- ✓ With choice comes accountability
- Sixth Form outstanding first choice destinations



### Curriculum



## Bus commitment for local area and Corby community



Leisure /
Fitness Centre



Sports Facilities





4G Multi-Purpose Pitches

Rugby Partnership



## Community / site developments

## Admissions 2023-24





#### Application for a school place in Year 7 in September 2024

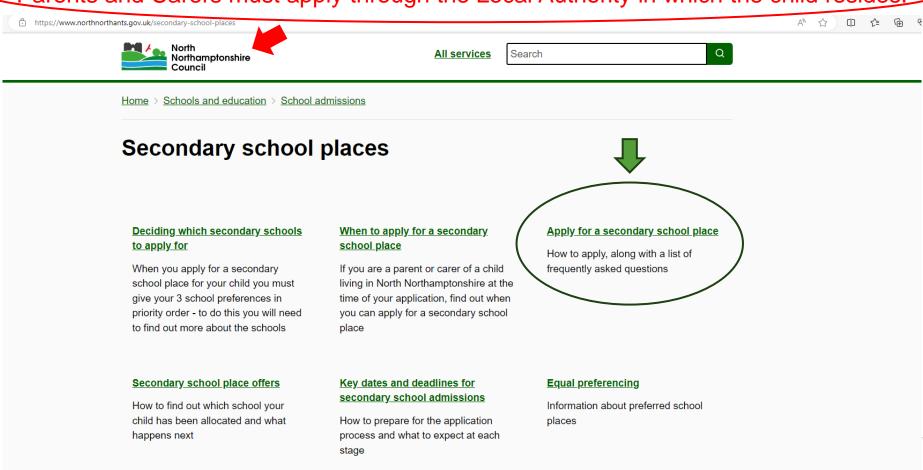
- ► All applications for a place at the Academy must be made through the Local Authority using the Common Preference Form. Applications can be made online.
- ► The opening date for applications is 8 September 2023 and the closing date is 31 October 2023. After this deadline you will need to make a late application.
- ▶ Please note that you will be required to submit <u>three preferences</u>. Applicants <u>cannot</u> be guaranteed that they will be offered one of their preferences.
- ▶ Please contact us, or the Local Authority, if you need help to complete your application and we will support you.





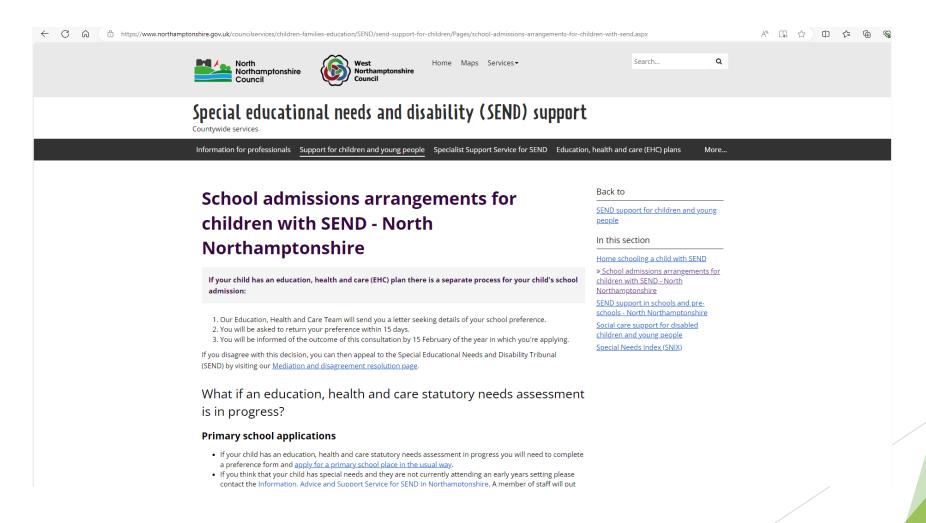
#### Application for a school place in Year 7 in September 2024

Parents and Carers must apply through the Local Authority in which the child resides.





#### **EHCP**



## Heather Thompson, Year 7 Admissions, mainstream provision: <a href="https://example.com/heather.thompson@corbybusinessacademy.org">heather.thompson@corbybusinessacademy.org</a>

Caren Brown, Year 7 Admissions, UNIT Provision: caren.brown@corbybusinessacademy.org

Our staff will also liaise with Primary school link teachers, to ensure we can support your choice and obtain relevant information prior to these visits.

Parents / Carers of students with an EHCP – PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU STATE WHETHER YOUR PREFERENCE IS FOR MAINSTREAM **OR** UNIT PROVISION







#### Year 6 to 7 Transition

Hello and welcome to Corby Business Academy's Year 6 into 7 transition page:

If your child has been offered a place in Year 7 at Corby Business Academy for September 2022, this page should provide you with all the information you will need, as well as answering any questions you might have. Here at the Academy, we recognise that the more information we can provide for students, parents and carers, the smoother and less stressful the transition process will be in these strange times. We will endeavour to update the webpage at regular intervals.

In this area, you will have access to a Transition video where your child will be introduced to key members of staff involved with Year 7 and be taken on a tour of the Academy. A copy of our Transition booklet will also be available for you to read.



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